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Applicant : Robert Powers et al. Art Unit : 1631
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USING SAME

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Enclosed is a check for \$450 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050, referencing attorney docket number 16163-021002.

Respectfully submitted,

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